

Outreach Feedback from Loyal Heights Community Center October 19, 2011

Attendees. Maria, Dave, Cheryl, Morrey, Judy, Kim, Dave, Kellyq City Staff:
Dena, Trevor, Katie, Sue, Terri

1# What the Parks Department should we prioritize

- Extended hours
- Toddler programs
- Full time daycare -for infant to 3 years Family and young Family Programming from cradle to Grave Teen programming –
- teen/ staff ratio Facility maintenance
- All ages fitness programs
- Affordability Reach out to the broader community
- outreach Target market to field user to increase their participation in center programs retaining hour flexibility between centers
- Keep councils and center staff collaborating with each other Outreach/Special Event Center needs to stay clean
- Finding ways to fund facility without resorting to public/private partnership sponsorship (do not want to see no Microsoft/ countrywide) (keep public- public - not private)
- Email list serve
- Marketing Newsletters Scholarship

2 What should we keep doing

- Health and fitness. (keep Fitness room)
- Pancake breakfast/special events
- Cradle to grave programming
- Basketball youth
- Preschool
- Teen program
- Play area (outside) and outside hoop

Winter (November - May) Open on Sundays See priority list Keep building programming

3 What should we stop doing

- unnecessary duplication of programming
- music on the lawn - tweak to family focus (ice cream social, BBQ, etc)

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#4 What can you do?

- Attend Ballard District Council/community meeting
- Dig for free money - small and simple - grant writing/ research
- Cultivating volunteers to support staff at special events
- Bring in new AC members
- Bring guest to advisory council members
- Deep cleaning party
- Connect with Lifelong Recreation Special, and Special Needs for volunteering
- Home Schools Reach Form more partnerships